

CSWC Operational Period Summary

0600 March 26 to 1800 March 26 2014



Tsunami Preparedness Week March 24-30

SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

Tsunami Seismic Information Statement

- At 1557 hours a Mag 4.5 EQ occurred 145 miles SW of Prince Rupert British Columbia. The National Tsunami Center issued a Tsunami Seismic Information Statement stating there is NO Tsunami danger. Coastal Counties briefed via CALWAS

Tsunami Warning Communications Test, 03/26/14

- The Tsunami Warning Communications Test will commence on Wednesday, 03/26/14.
- All planned coastal overflights for March 26, 2014 (Civil Air Patrol; associated with the Tsunami Test) were cancelled due to weather conditions.

FEMA US&R Activation Order # 2014-0001a, 2014-FIRE-2588, Washington Mudslide Incident

- On 03/24/13, the Warning Center received FEMA US&R Activation Orders for California US&R Task Force Members from the White Incident Support Team (IST) in response to the Washington Mudslide Incident. The California State Warning Center provided the Activation Order to the respective Task Force dispatch centers and the Cal OES Fire Duty Officer. A Cal OES Mission Number has been assigned for this activation.

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Significant Weather

- Tornado Warning in effect until 1945 Wednesday or El Dorado and Placer Counties, 1900 Wednesday for Sacramento, Placer and Sutter Counties, and 1845 for Butte and Glenn Counties. Funnel cloud sighted in Placer County near Lincoln at 1800 moving east at 15-20 miles per hour, but as of 1900 hours, no reports of touch down, damage or injuries. Tornado warnings expired at 1845 for Butte and Glenn Counties and 1900 for Sacramento and Sutter Counties.
- High Wind Warning in effect until 2100 this evening for areas of Riverside County.
- Winter Storm Warning remains in effect until 1100 Thursday above 5500 feet for portions of Alpine, Amador, Calaveras, Butte, El Dorado, Lassen, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Shasta, Sierra, Tehama, Tuolumne, and Yuba Counties.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Eureka Weather:

Unsettled weather will continue today with showers and sunbreaks. Some showers may be heavy at times. Thursday will bring a brief drying trend before moderate to heavy rainfall arrives Friday and Saturday.

San Francisco Weather:

Showers will taper off this afternoon and evening as the upper level disturbance moves east of the region. A brief drying trend will occur on Thursday before another storm system brings precipitation back to the area over the weekend. Another potential storm system could affect northern California early next week.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY

Sacramento Weather:

Significant mountain snow and gusty winds are likely with good potential for isolated thunderstorms today some possibly strong storms. Wet and cooler weather will continue through the weekend.

Hanford Weather:

A storm system will move through the region today bringing cooler temperatures and precipitation to the central California interior through tonight. A few showers lingering in the sierra Thursday otherwise dry and warmer by Friday before another weather system moves through on Saturday.

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION: (Con't)

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:

Light showers and breezy conditions will continue into early Thursday morning. Then begin to dry out through late Saturday. A second weak system is expected Saturday night into Sunday morning, then a break and a third system Monday through Tuesday. Temperatures will be warmest on Friday, but will remain below normal for the period.

Extreme Southwestern California Including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

A weak storm system continues to move through southern California and will bring periods of light rain mainly mountains westward with strong gusty mountain and desert winds. High pressure moving in Friday will bring clearing skies and a slow warming trend. Another storm system will be moving in Tuesday with a small possibility of light rain by Tuesday. Generally cool weather is expected through the middle of next week.

Southeast California Weather:

Windy conditions will persist through the evening with wind gusts at or above 45 knots possible the Mojave Desert region. Winds will diminish this evening, but gusts over 30 knots will still be possible over western portions of San Bernardino County through the overnight period.

Week Ahead Weather

03/27 – 04/02



Thursday

- Gusty winds through midday to 50 mph through mountain passes and along desert mountain slopes for southern California.
- Snow through mid-day across the central and northern Sierras will cause travel difficulties at higher elevations.

Friday

- No significant hazards expected

Saturday-Tuesday

- Storm system Saturday into Sunday will impact travel in the higher elevations of the Sierras due to heavy snow.
- Another storm system on Monday into Tuesday will bring valley rains and mountain snows in central and northern CA including the Sierras.

Wednesday

- No significant hazards expected

*****See attached Full Cal OES Weekly Weather Threat Briefing*****

California OES Impact Threat Matrix

March 27, 2014 – April 2, 2014

DAY/THREAT	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED
Fire Weather							
Winds	So Cal						
Extreme Cold							
Snow	Sierras		Sierras	Sierras	Sierras	Sierras	
Heavy Rain/ Flash Flooding							
River Flooding							
Severe Weather							
Heat							
Tropical							

	High Threat
	Moderate Threat
	Slight Threat
	No Discernible Threat



WEATHER

California Precipitation Forecast - For March 26 – March 30, 2014

Region - Counties	Precipitation Amount (March 26 – March 30, 2014)
North Coast <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Del Norte, Humboldt, Mendocino, Lake, Sonoma, Napa	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Highest amounts are confined to mostly Del Norte and coastal mountains of Humboldt counties ~ 4.50-8.00"• Central portions of the region ~ 2.50-4.50"• Areas around the North Bay ~ -1.50-3.00"
Cascade – Sierra <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Siskiyou, Modoc, Trinity, Shasta, Lassen, Plumas, Sierra, Nevada, Placer, El Dorado, Amador, Alpine, Calaveras, Tuolumne, Mariposa	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Highest amounts confined to mostly western Siskiyou, portions of Trinity county, northern Shasta county, and western Plumas county ~ 2.50-6.00"• Rest of the Region ~ 0.50-2.00"
Bay Area <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Marin, San Francisco, San Mateo, Contra Costa, Alameda	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 0.60-1.25"
Sacramento Valley <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tehama, Glenn, Butte, Colusa, Sutter, Yuba, Yolo, Sacramento, Solano	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Northern Sac Valley ~ 1.00-3.00"• Southern Sac Valley ~ 0.90-1.50"



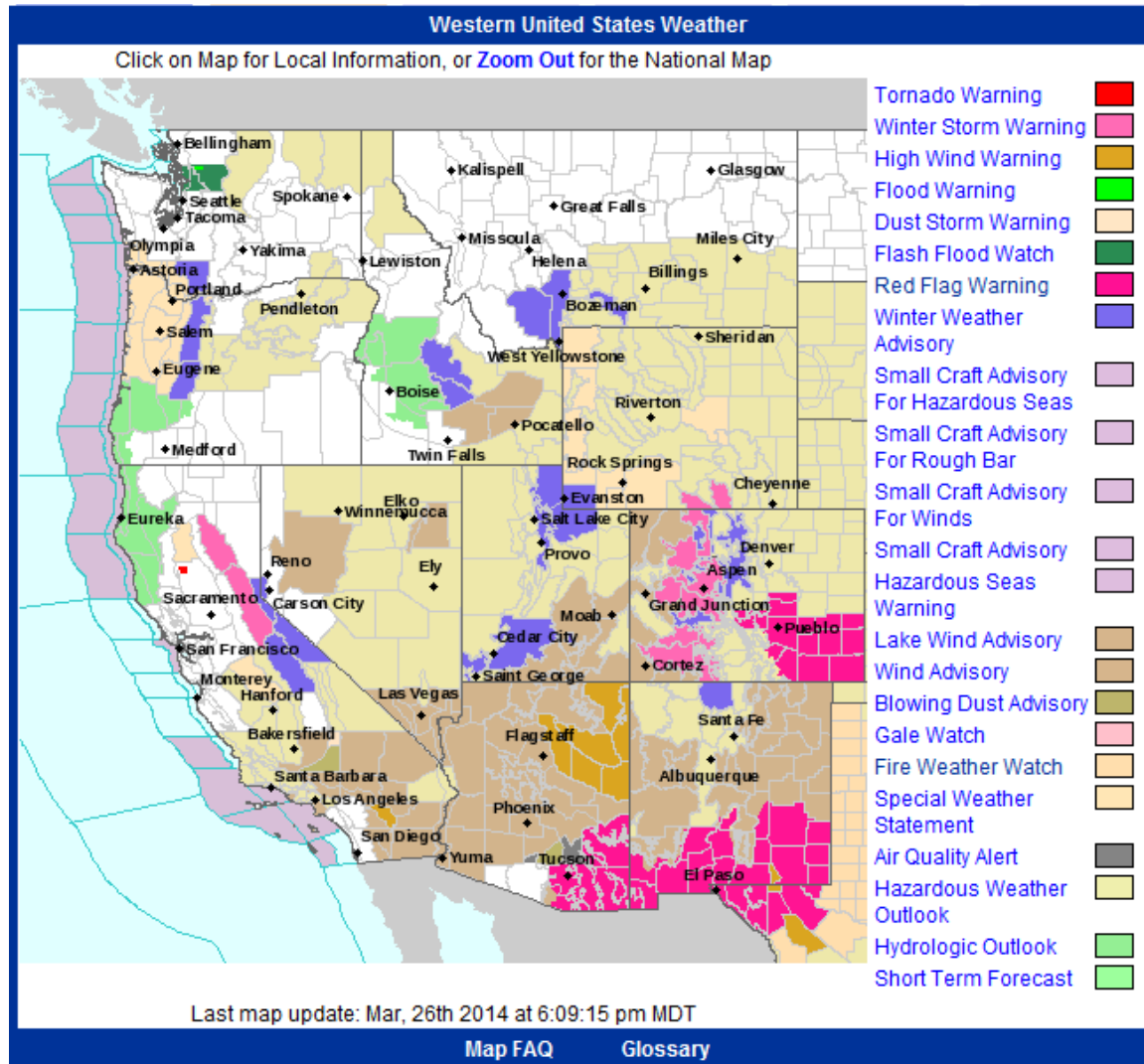
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California Precipitation Forecast - For March 26 – March 30, 2014 (cont.)

Region - Counties	Precipitation Amount (March 26 – March 30, 2014)
San Joaquin Valley <ul style="list-style-type: none">San Joaquin, Stanislaus, Merced, Madera, Fresno, Kings, Tulare, Kern	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Northern San Joaquin Valley ~ 0.20-0.90"Southern San Joaquin Valley ~ 0.01-0.20"
Central Coast <ul style="list-style-type: none">Santa Cruz, Santa Clara, San Benito, Monterey, San Luis Obispo	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Heaviest amounts confined to Santa Cruz County ~0.75-1.15Rest of region ~0.05-0.90"
South Coast <ul style="list-style-type: none">Santa Barbara, Ventura, Los Angeles, Orange, San Diego	<ul style="list-style-type: none">0.05-0.50"
Southeast Interior <ul style="list-style-type: none">Mono, Inyo, San Bernardino, Riverside, Imperial	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Extreme northern portions ~ 0.50-1.20"Rest of the Region ~ 0.00-0.20"



STATE WEATHER MAP



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FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels:

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 1 Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

Southern California

Preparedness Level 2 Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

No Significant Fire Activity to Report

CAL OES ACTIVATIONS

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated at Level 2 in support of the Drought State of Emergency from 0800-1700 hours daily.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2 from 0800-1700 Monday through Friday or as needed.
- The Southern REOC is activated at Level 1.
- The Santa Barbara County OA EOC is activated at Level 2 to be handled by the duty officer for the purpose of monitoring activities and gaining situational awareness. The operational period is 0800-1700 hours.

SIGNIFICANT EVENTS / ACTIVITY

Tsunami Warning Communications Test, 03/26/14

The California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES), in partnership with the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration ([NOAA](#)), will conduct a test of the tsunami warning communications system on March 26.

There will be two separate and distinct tests, the first at 10:15 AM PDT, in coastal areas of central and southern California, and the second between 11 AM and noon PDT, in Northern California.

- At about 10:15 a.m. NOAA's National Weather Service Offices in Monterey, Oxnard and San Diego will broadcast the "Required Monthly Test." The test will also be broadcast on NOAA Weather Radio All Hazards, local television and radio stations. The actual Tsunami Warning Code (EAS code TSW) will not be used for this test.
- Between 11 a.m. and noon PDT in Northern California (Del Norte and Humboldt): NOAA's National Weather Service Office in Eureka will broadcast a test of the EAS system by using the actual Tsunami Warning Code (EAS code TSU). This emergency test will be broadcast on NOAA Weather Radio All Hazards, local television and radio stations in Del Norte and Humboldt counties. Residents in some communities may hear warning sirens.

SIGNIFICANT EVENTS / ACTIVITY

Tsunami Warning Communications Test, 03/26/14 (Cont.)

Del Norte County:

Date: Wednesday, March 26

- County Emergency Services Coordinator encouraged all businesses within tsunami zone to join in a full scale evacuation drill
- Educational seminars and town house meetings scheduled
- “Tsunami Safe: Know Your Zone” Activities including Guided 90 minute walking tours of historic points of interest from the 1964 earthquake on the Cascadian Subduction Zone. The walk features 8 stops with information available by kiosk or scan code. Volunteers will be onsite to explain the significance of each site.

Humboldt County:

- County Proclamation
- Tsunami Warning Communications Test
- Caltrans Changeable Message Signs on roads
- Telephone emergency call out
- Participating in coastal overflight test of on-board notification systems.
- Humboldt State University rolling out their emergency alert communication system to coincide with the live code test.

Sonoma County:

- Notifying all PSAPs,
- Participating in coastal overflight test of on-board notification systems.
- Conducting a Telephone Emergency Notification System call-out.
- Setting up electronic road signs notifying travels of the test.

SIGNIFICANT EVENTS / ACTIVITY

Tsunami Warning Communications Test, 03/26/14 (Cont.)

San Francisco City and EOC, 1011 Turk St. San Francisco:

Dates: Wednesday March 26 through Friday March 28

- Tsunami EOC Functional Exercise Series to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the Great Alaska Earthquake and Tsunami. **Three exercise days will follow the schedule below:**
- **March 26th** – Day 1: Alert & Warning
- **March 27th** – Day 2: Response
- **March 28th** – Day 3: Restoration and/or Short-term Recovery

San Mateo County:

Date, Thursday, March 27, 2014

“Tsunami Warning EOC Table-Top Exercise” will include San Mateo County Office of Emergency Services and representatives from the following agencies: San Mateo County OES, City of Half Moon Bay, City of Pacifica, Cal Fire/Coastside Fire, Human Services Agency, Public Safety Communications Op Area EOC- Will serve as the exercise simulation cell to the City of Coastside EOC (City/County Joint EOC), City of Pacifica.

Marin County:

Date, Thursday, March 27, 2014

- Marin County Sheriff’s Office of Emergency Services – Will sponsor “DON’T WAIT til it’s too late” Tsunami Table-top Exercise
- **Marin County, Tsunami Walk, Muir Beach, March 27, 1900 hrs.**

Monterey County:

- Focusing on Maritime activities with the ports and harbors.
 - Will test alert and warning communications systems on the 27th.
- Included will be contact lists and the telephone tree.

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White IST Members from the following US&R Task Forces have been activated:

- CA- TF 1: L.A. City Fire – 2 personnel
- CA- TF 6: Riverside City Fire – 8 personnel
- CA- TF 7: Sacramento City Fire – 3 personnel
- CA- TF 7: San Diego Fire – 2 personnel
- CA-TF 8: Chula Vista FD – 1 personnel
- CA-TF 8: San Marcos FD – 1 personnel

Situational Summary

Information as of 3/24/14

On January 17, 2014 Governor Edmund G. Brown proclaimed a State of Emergency and directed state officials to take all necessary actions to prepare for drought conditions. The State Operation Center (SOC) is activated to implement objectives in support of the Governor's priorities. The lack of winter rain and snowfall has resulted in extremely dry conditions in many parts of the State. Reservoir levels are down significantly from where they should be on average for this time of year. If conditions continue without substantial rainfall, severe impacts to municipal water supplies, agriculture (plants and livestock) and firefighting capabilities are likely in store for the State over the next few months. Negative economic impacts will also result.

Beginning Tuesday, March 25, 2014, several storms will travel through the state that will possibly bring significant rain and snow. Precipitation is predicted to be heaviest in the far northern portion of the state.

As our state's rainy season nears its end, much of California has received only about 50% of normal precipitation for this rainy season. Heavy rain and snow would have to fall throughout California most days in April to reach average annual rain and snowfall levels, which is highly unlikely. Even with such precipitation, California would remain in drought conditions, due to low water supplies in reservoirs from the two previous dry years.

The drought could result in severe impacts to the municipal water supplies, wells, agriculture (plants and livestock) and firefighting capabilities for several months. The SOC continues to be activated to monitor the situation statewide, and support regional and local operational areas.

Situational Summary (cont'd)

Information as of 3/24/14

- The Taskforce continues to meet regularly to take actions that conserve water and coordinate state response to the drought.
- The most recent snowpack survey, conducted on February 27, recorded California snowpack at 24% of normal. The next snowpack survey will be conducted April 1. A more recent update using automated devices shows snowpack at 24% of normal as of March 23.
- DWR has announced that water essential for health and safety will be delivered through the state water project in spite of the zero allocation policy. Deliveries will be boosted if storms produce enough rain and snow to increase reservoir storage and the snow pack.
- On March 27, 2014, SWRCB will be at the groundbreaking ceremony for the City of Visalia's \$147 million Water Conservation Plant upgrade and recycled water distribution pipeline, made possible by an earlier CWA SRF loan from the State Water Board.
- Cal OES continues to gather drought-related costs from state agencies and local governments.

Current Drought Updates:

*****Please see attachment for the Drought Response Report*****

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations: (No change)

State:

01/17/14 – January 17, 2014, Governor Edmund G. Brown proclaimed a State of Emergency and directed state officials to take all necessary actions to prepare for these drought conditions.

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations: (Cont.)

County Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations			
Inland Region			
County		Request	Reaffirmation Received
Glenn	1/30/2014	State and Federal relief	3/10/2014
Kern	1/14/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	3/14/2014
Kings	1/14/2014	State and Federal assistance	
Madera	1/28/2014	No specific request	3/14/2014
Merced	3/6/2014	No specific request	
Modoc	3/5/2014	No specific request	
San Joaquin	1/28/2014	No specific request	3/4/2014
Siskiyou	3/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	
Sutter	2/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	
Tulare	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	3/24/2014
Tuolumne	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Yuba	2/18/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	
Coastal Region			
County		Request	Reaffirmation Received
Lake	3/6/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Mendocino	1/7/2014	No specific request	
Sonoma	2/25/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Southern Region			
County		Request	Reaffirmation Received
Inyo	1/28/2014	CDAA	
Santa Barbara	1/17/2014	No specific request	
San Luis Obispo	3/11/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations: (Cont.)

City / Tribe / Special District Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations		
Inland Region		
City/Tribe/Special District		Request
Placer County Water Agency Placer	2/6/2014	Local conservation and funding measures
Twain Harte Community Services Dist Tuolumne	1/29/2014	Enact District conservation measures
Tule River Tribe Tulare	1/30/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Lake Don Pedro Community Services Dist. Mariposa	2/18/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
Karuk Tribe Siskiyou, Humboldt	2/18/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Mariposa Public Utility District	2/4/2014	Enact District conservation measures
Coastal Region		
City/Tribe/Special District		Request
Hoopa Valley Tribe Humboldt	1/20/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Yurok Tribe Del Norte, Humboldt	1/29/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
City of Willits Mendocino	1/7/2014	Declare a Phase V Water Emergency
Brookside Township Mendocino	1/7/2014	
City of Calistoga Napa	2/4/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of St. Helena Napa	1/28/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of American Canyon Napa	2/4/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
Sonoma County Water Agency	2/25/2014	
Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe, Mendocino	3/21/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Southern Region		
City/Tribe/Special District		Request
Carpinteria Valley Water District	2/12/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
Meiners Oaks Water District	3/4/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of Santa Barbara	2/12/2014	Declare a Stage I Drought Condition
Goleta Water District	3/25/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency



Counties Which Have Established a Drought Task Force (DTF)

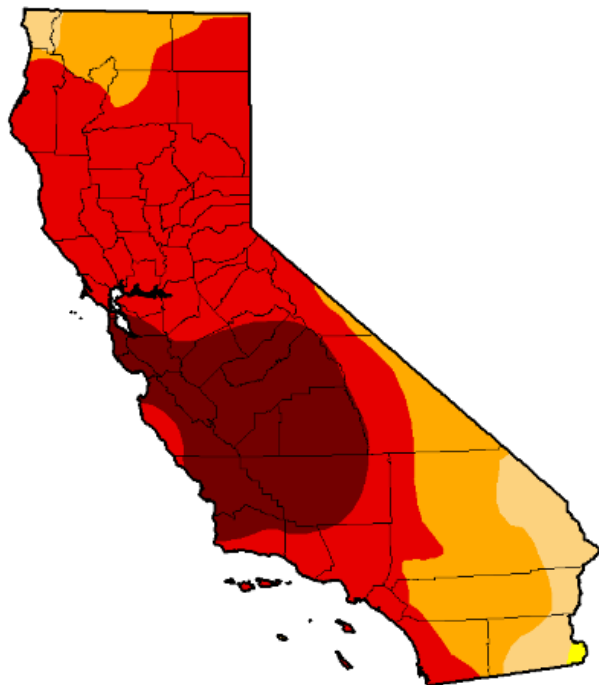
Information as of 3/25/14

County Drought Task Force Upcoming Meetings		
Inland Region		
County	Previous Meetings	Upcoming Meetings
Butte	2/18/2014	5/19/2014
Kern	3/13/2014	4/10/2014
Madera	3/11/2014	4/29/2014
Merced	3/19/2014	4/17/2014
Modoc	2/12/2014	
Nevada	2/28/2014	
Placer	3/12/2014	
Plumas	3/17/2014	4/14/2014
Sacramento	3/21/2014	4/11/2014
San Joaquin	3/19/2014	4/16/2014
Siskiyou	3/12/2014	
Stanislaus	3/19/2014	
Sutter	3/13/2014	4/10/2014
Tehama	2/18/2014	
Tulare	3/10/2014	4/14/2014
Tuolumne	2/11/2014	3/28/2014
Coastal Region		
County	Previous Meetings	Upcoming Meetings
Mendocino	2/26/2014	
Monterey		
San Mateo	3/18/2014	
Santa Clara	2/27/2014	
Solano		
Southern Region		
County	Previous Meetings	Upcoming Meetings
San Luis Obispo	3/19/2014	
Santa Barbara	3/12/2014	4/9/2014
Orange		4/1/2014



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 Valid 7 a.m. Eastern



Week	Date	Nothing	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	3/18/2014	0.01	99.99	99.80	93.08	71.78	22.37
Last Week	3/11/2014	0.01	99.99	94.56	90.81	65.89	22.37
3 Months Ago	12/17/2013	2.61	97.39	94.25	82.53	27.59	0.00
Start of Calendar Year	12/31/2013	2.61	97.39	94.25	87.53	27.59	0.00
Start of Water Year	10/1/2013	2.63	97.37	95.95	84.12	11.36	0.00
One Year Ago	3/19/2013	12.85	87.15	48.38	24.19	0.00	0.00


Intensity:

 D0 - Abnormally Dry

 D1 - Moderate Drought

 D2 - Severe Drought

 D3 - Extreme Drought

 D4 - Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying [text summary](#) for forecast statements.

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CAL OES MISSIONS

Drought Related Missions

- **2014-Inland-2185** Tuolumne County does not have a water master or any alternative resources to assist in determining the health of their ground water system. The County is requesting state agency expertise to assist with this determination.

Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **2014-FIRE-2588** Cal OES Fire Branch has opened a mission to coordinate and track Urban Search and Rescue (US&R) personnel assigned and deployed in support of response and recovery efforts due to a large landslide that occurred on 3/22/14 in Oso, Snohomish County, Washington State. FEMA US&R Activation Order attached with this mission is 2014-0001a.
- **2014-FIRE-2548** CAL FIRE request for an aircraft and aircrews with fuel tenders to support the annual joint CNG, MHEM/AAML Training at the CAL FIRE Academy from 04/04/14 to 04/06/14 . All costs incurred for CNG personnel, fuel, equipment, and assets will be assumed by CNG.
- **2014-LAW-2483** The 95th CST will provide area monitoring, secure communications, and WMD expertise for the IRL Racing Event at Sonoma Raceway August 22-24, 2014. They will assist with advanced planning and be pre-positioned prior to the start of the event.
- **2014-LAW-2481** The 95th CST will provide area monitoring, secure communications, and WMD expertise for the NHRA Racing Event at Sonoma Raceway July 25-27, 2014. They will assist with advanced planning and be pre-positioned prior to the start of the event.

Ongoing Cal OES Missions (Cont.)

- **2014-LAW-2478** The 95th CST will provide area monitoring, secure communications, and WMD expertise for the NASCAR Racing Event at Sonoma Raceway June 20-22. They will assist with advanced planning and be pre-positioned prior to the start of the event.
- **2014-LAW-2450** Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Department is requesting ten Search and Rescue personnel that are EMS certified to assist with a special event. Resource will be needed from 1100 hours till Midnight on April 8, 2014. San Luis Obispo County Sheriff's Department will be responding with requested resources.
- **2014-LAW-2307** Per USFWS, The mission has been postponed to Monday, March 10, with a backup date of March 11. They will provide a disposition at the conclusion of the mission. California Department of Fish and Wildlife (DFW) has requested California Air National Guard to assist in the movement of equipment and fuel between Farallon National Wildlife Refuge and the mainland. Approximately 3-4 sorties are expected with an HH-60G helicopter any one day between 2/24-28/2014 or before 3/15/2014. After receiving the official letter of request from USFWS on behalf of the California DFW, Cal OES LDO has changed the target date of the mission to 2/27/14, the county to Marin as Stinson Beach was Identified as the primary staging area and the resource to an HH-60.

Ongoing Cal OES Missions (Cont.)

- **2014-SOC-2111** Mission is to test the Cascadia Subduction Zone (CSZ) air bridge concept by air transporting 7 passengers from OES and 1 CANG logistics planner on 13 May 2014 from Mather to the State Staging Area (SA) in Redding, to one POD in Del Norte and one POD in Humboldt, to the Redding State SA, and return to Mather. Passengers will discuss actions at the Redding SA and at each OA POD while they are at each location. The air bridge is a critical component to CSZ response and recovery. It is imperative this concept is tested to ensure response teams can be successfully transported into the effected region and the affected Operational Areas' are able to receive aircraft at designated PODs.

Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-2380** The San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department as the Regional Mutual Aid Coordinator is requesting the 9th Civil Support Team of the California National Guard for support during the running of the Auto Club Speedway's NASCAR Races to be held from Friday, March 21, 2014 through Sunday, March 23, 2014. The CNG has accepted the mission and will deploy the requested resources. **Mission completed**

Cal OES Deployments

- Cal OES Assistant Chief Len Chesmore is deploying Thursday March 28, 2014 with CA-TF3, Menlo Park Fire Protection District (MNL) to Alaska for a training exercise under the direction of FEMA as part of Alaska Shield.
- **Alaska Shield 2014** encompasses a series of exercises over the course of nearly two years that build on a series of four prior statewide Alaska Shield exercises. Discussion-based workshops and table top exercises address the complexities of catastrophic planning, response, and recovery through subject-matter specific topics and scenarios. Topics include, but are not limited to: medical surge, mass casualty, mass care, activation of 2011 State EOP Catastrophic Annex task forces, and executive leadership. The capstone event of the Alaska Shield 2014 is the full-scale exercise. An earthquake scenario resulting in major disruption will (1) exercise the ability of communities to respond, assume responsibility for initial life safety needs at the local level; (2) assess the State's ability to coordinate resources and actions to quickly support and stabilize the life safety situation throughout the State, while planning forward for sustained response and long-term recovery; and (3) exercise joint state and federal response to a catastrophic event.

UPCOMING EVENTS, TRAINING, EXERCISES

Diablo Canyon Power Plant, Rehearsal / Full Scale Exercise

Diablo Canyon Power Plant in San Luis Obispo will be hosting two full scale Hostile Action Based exercises this Spring. A dress rehearsal exercise will be held on April 16, 2014 and a FEMA evaluated exercise will held on May 21, 2014. This is part of the required biennial demonstration of our ability to protect the public from a radiological incident at the nuclear power plant.

2014 Golden Guardian

Planning is currently underway for the Governor's 2014 exercise series. The series will test the *California Cascadia Subduction Zone Earthquake and Tsunami Response Plan* developed by FEMA Region IX and Cal OES

- Logistics Rehearsal of Concept Drill - April 2, 2014
- REOC Communications Functional Exercise - March 27, 2014



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.